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SUBJ: CIVAIR: REPORTED USG STUDY CRITICAL OF EUROPEAN AIRPORTS

1. VIENNA PRESS TODAY PROMINENTLY FEATURES ARTICLES ON A U.S. FAA STUDY ON SECURITY SITUATION AT EUROPEAN AND MIDDLE EAST AIRPORTS. VIENNA'S INDEPENDENT DIE PRESSE REPORTS THAT ACCORDING TO THIS STUDY VIENNA IS AMONG 18 AIRPORTS MOST APT TO ATTRACT TERRORIST ATTACKS BECAUSE OF POOR SECURITY CONTROLS OR BECAUSE OF GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION. ACCORDING TO DIE PRESSE ARTICLE SITUATION AT VIENNA SCHWECHAT AIRPORT CITED IN U.S. REPORT AS PARTICULARLY SUBJECT TO TERRORIST ATTACKS BECAUSE OF PROXIMITY OF JEWISH REPATRIATION CAMP. SOCIALIST PARTY VIENNA DAILY ARBEITER ZEITUNG REPORTS SHARP REACTION FROM AUSTRIAN SECURITY AUTHORITIES TO ALLEGED U.S. REPORT THAT SECURITY MEASURES AT VIENNA AIRPORT ARE LAX.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE SOONEST CLARIFICATION AND DETAILS ON THIS REPORT. HUMES

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